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Dear Sir:

Each item of information contained in this Information Disclosure Statement was cited in a communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application not more than three months prior to the filing of this Information Disclosure Statement. Copies of the foreign references are attached. Also attached is a copy of the European search report.

Respectfully submitted,

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